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Dear Governor Cooper

I am so proud of Mayor de Blasio and New York City. They are bravely acting to preserve their City. They are fighting the immense and immoral power of the energy companies and putting people and science first.

New York City's divestments and oil and gas company lawsuits are a small risk compared to the ruinous impacts of climate change. Also to ignore the energy market's shift toward renewables and battery storage and the power China will gain from dominating the energy market are dangerous and damaging to our nation's and State's economic and security future.

Democrats must clearly stand for climate change policies that preserve our natural and human world, are based on good science and do not allow energy companies to force our Nation and our State to make bad investments in unneeded gas and oil infrastructure.

It is a brave step to make sure the Atlantic Coast Pipeline is never built. You already are fighting drilling off the NC coast. No ACP is part of the same fight which is to put our energy investment in renewables and battery storage.

Thank you. You can win this!
Martha Girolami

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